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 Because c: the vulnerability of airborne forces while in flight to ground and aircraft fire, all or most of the 7 day interval between Strike Day and D-Day will be necessary to neutralize or eliminate the hostile air and ground capability. For the Joint Chiefs of Staff: Signed MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

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